

Subject card

Subject name and code	Criminal Law I - lecture, PG_00137047						
Field of study	Law						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2023	Academic year of realisation of subject			2024/2025		
Education level		Subject group			Obligatory subject group in the field of study		
Mode of study	part-time studies	Mode of delivery			at the university		
Year of study	2	Language of instruction			Polish Polish		
Semester of study	3	ECTS credits			1.0		
Learning profile	academic	Assessment form					
Conducting unit	Zakład Kryminologii -> Katedra Prawa Karnego Materialnego i Kryminologii -> Faculty of Law and Administration						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr hab. Jacek Potulski				
	Teachers		dr hab. Jacek Potulski				
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	15.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	15
	E-learning hours included: 0.0						
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan		Participation in consultation hours		Self-study	SUM
	Number of study hours	15		0.0		10.0	25
Subject objectives	To introduce the student to the knowledge of substantive criminal law, including the general, special and military parts of the Criminal Code. This is a course lecture, which is also intended to prepare the student for seminars and for examinations for legal applications.						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[PRAWOJ5_KO04] The graduate is ready to prepare own projects connected with the creation, application and interpretation of legal regulations, including projects co-financed by the European Union's funds	He is ready to undertake the preparation of his own social projects taking into account criminal law, economic aspects, including the implementation of EU projects	[SK4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_KO03] He/she is prepared for active participation in groups, organizations and institutions connected with law, is also able to communicate with specialists and non-specialists in the field of law	Is ready to actively participate in groups, organizations and institutions carrying out professional activities related to criminal law, is able to communicate with specialists in criminal law	[SK4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_UU12] He/she acquires knowledge efficiently and develops his/her professional skills using various sources (in native and foreign language) and modern technologies	Able to acquire knowledge and develop professional skills using a variety of sources.	[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_WK10] He/she understands and knows the basic concepts and principles of industrial property protection and copyright law, as well as understands the need for proper protection of intellectual property and managing its resources	knows and understands the basic concepts and principles of industrial property protection and copyright, and the need for proper protection and management of intellectual property resources	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_KK02] He/she is aware of the necessity to widen professional competences and qualifications, to improve skills, is able to indicate the direction of own development and education independently in widened and deepened way	He/she is aware of expanding his/her professional competences, improves his/her skills and is able to independently determine the directions of his/her own development and education in an extended and in-depth degree.	[SK4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_KK01] The graduate is deeply aware of the level of his/her knowledge and skills, and also understands the need of lifelong learning	has an in-depth awareness of the level of knowledge in criminal law and understands the need for lifelong learning.	[SK4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_UO11] He/she can work well in a team and can coordinate the team's work when solving legal problems, interpreting legal acts, and preparing written or oral opinions on a matter.	Is able to cooperate in a team and is able to coordinate the work of the team in solving legal problems of interpretation of legal acts in the field of criminal law, preparation of a written or oral position paper.	[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_WG02] He/she knows wide terminology and concepts in the scope of law and connected disciplines	Knows the terminology of criminal law of related fields to an extended degree	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_UW07] He/she has the skills in understanding and analyzing social phenomena and utilizing this analysis in his/her professional work.	has a developed ability to understand and analyse social phenomena and to use this analysis in his/her professional work	[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_KR07] The graduate is ready to take up professional challenges, takes up efforts and is persistent in the implementation of individual and group activities in the creation, application or interpretation of legal regulations and related sciences	is ready to take up professional challenges, undertakes effort and demonstrates perseverance in carrying out individual as well as team activities in the field of criminal law and related sciences	[SK4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_UK08] The graduate has wide skills to prepare written works connected with the work of a lawyer in Polish and foreign language	has an in-depth ability to prepare a variety of written works on criminal law in Polish and in a foreign language related to his professional work	[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_UW05] He/she can observe and analyze moral, ethical and legal dilemmas in professional work	is able to perceive, analyse and diagnose moral and legal dilemmas in his/her professional work	[SU4] test/exam - oral or written

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	[PRAWOJ5_WG06] He/she has systematic knowledge about the man as the subject establishing social structures and principles of their operation and about the man as the individual operating in these structures	has a structured knowledge of man as a subject constituting social structures and the principles of their functioning, and of man as an individual functioning within these structures	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_UW04] He/she efficiently observes and analyzes moral, ethical and legal dilemmas in professional work	has a good command of legal principles and norms in the field of criminal law as well as in his professional activity	[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_WG05] The graduate demonstrates systematic knowledge about the types of legal relations and the governing regularities	has a structured knowledge of the types of legal relationships in criminal law and the regularities governing them	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_UK09] He/she demonstrates wide skills in preparing speeches in the field of law in Polish and foreign language	has an in-depth ability to prepare oral presentations, in Polish and in a foreign language, on criminal law and related sciences	[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_UW01] He/she has advanced skills in observation and interpretation of social phenomena, analyzes their connections with various areas, activity of legal science and the related disciplines	Possesses in-depth skills in observing and interpreting social phenomena, analysing their links with criminal law	[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_UW02] The graduate utilizes theoretical knowledge in legal science and the connected academic disciplines to analyze and interpret complex legal issues	Able to use knowledge of criminal law to interpret complex legal problems	[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRAWOJ5_KR05] He/she prepares responsibly to his/her work; can determine priorities in work and plan work appropriately	prepares his/her work responsibly, is able to prioritise his/her work and plan his/her work accordingly	[SK4] test/exam - oral or written
Subject contents	Development and practical orientation of a number of issues covered in Part I of the lecture course on substantive criminal law: Criminal law against the background of other branches of law and scientific disciplines. Principles and functions of criminal law. Issues of criminalisation. Sources of criminal law. Criminal law and its application. General notion of crime and offence. Structure of a criminal offence. Criminal liability and its prerequisites. The act and causation. Objective imputation. Stages and phenomenal forms of committing a criminal act. Exclusion of criminal liability. Counter-acts. Guilt and the exclusion of guilt. Social harm and its grading. Conflict of offences and provisions of the act. Demonstration of the problematic application of the principles of criminal responsibility by means of examples of selected types of crimes and offences.		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Completion of the first year of law.		
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	test and case	51.0%	100.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	<p>During the course, students make use of normative acts regulating the issues covered by the programme content and selected case law.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J. Warylewski, Prawo karne. Część ogólna, Wolters Kluwer, Warszawa (Aktualne wydanie); 2. V. Konarska-Wrzosek, A. Marek, Prawo karne, C.H. Beck, Warszawa (Aktualne wydanie); 3. W. Wróbel, A. Zoll, Polskie prawo karne. Część ogólna, Zakład, Kraków (Aktualne wydanie); 4. T. Dukiet-Nagórska, O. Sitarz (red.), Prawo karne. Wykład akademicki, Wolters Kluwer, Warszawa (Aktualne wydanie); 	

	Supplementary literature	<p>1. V. Konarska-Wrzosek (red.), Kodeks karny, Komentarz., Wolters Kluwer, Warszawa (Aktualne wydanie);</p> <p>2. J. Lachowski (red.), Prawo karne materialne. Kazusy, Wolters Kluwer, Warszawa (Aktualne wydanie);</p> <p>3. M. D. Dubber, T. Hornle, Criminal Law: A Comparative Approach, Oxford University Press, Oxford (Aktualne wydanie);</p>
	eResources addresses	Adresy na platformie eNauczanie:
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	What is a criminal offence? What are the principles of criminal responsibility in the Polish legal order? What circumstances exclude criminal illegality of an act or culpability of the perpetrator? What are the forms of committing a criminal offence?	
Work placement	Not applicable	

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